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Having received a large and well selected stock of Boys', Youth's and Children's Suits, At an UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW PRICE, are prepared to give extra bargains. We have manufactured a Large Line of MEN'S SUITS, and we sell them at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

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Having just received the Latest Nobby Styles. Our Neckwear and Gents' Furnishing Goods Department

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March 20 -d&wtf

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## UNDERTAKERS

And Dealers in all kinds of COFFINS, Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets.

Southwest Corner Old Square DECATUR, ILL.

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## MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTERS!

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting.

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## SAND, GRAVEL

—AND— COBBLE STONE,

By the Yard or Carload,

FOR SALE BY

## J. IMBODEN

Decatur, Ill., May 8, 1879 -d&wtf

## MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss. Macon County, Macon County Circuit Court.

Andrew J. Stoner vs. William Young and Caroline M. Young—Foreclosure—No. 10,356.

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Saturday, the 16th day of August, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. seven (7), in block No. five (5), in the Western Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., July 14th, A. D. 1879.

## FREEMAN BROS.

## BOOTS AND SHOES.

Two Doors North Linn & Scruggs.

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Master in Chancery for Macon County, Ill. E. S. McDONALD, Solicitor for Complainant.

July 14 -d&wtf

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## LITTLE JOHNNY'S STORIES.

Wen Mr. Gipple was in Africa he seen sum natif niggers which is called Hottentots, and they likes their beef raw like dogs, and he sees em out it off of the cattless wile they was a life and bellerin. And sum of the cattless had been cut up a good deal that way, but not ded. One day the king of the Hottentots he see Mr. Gipple and he sed, the king sed:

"Did you see any cattles long the road you cum? Cos mine have strade away and I can't find them?"

Mr. Gipple he sed:

"Yes, sir, jest over beyond that hill is a portehouse stake with one horna broke off, and bout a mile further long yule find a rib roast eaten the wilers, and near by I seen too houteches of bull fitin sum soap bones, and onto the other side of the spring I guess yule see a liver and sum tripe a laying in the shade and chewn their euda."

But Mr. Brily, the butcher, nock em onto the head with axes and cut their throats in a minnit, and me and Billy we say hooray.

Cows is beef, and a calef it is real, but little pigs is mutton.

One time I was in Mister Brily's and he had cut off a pig's head and set it on the top of a barl, and ole Gaffer Peters he cum in and seen it, and he sed, old Gaffer did:

"Mister Brily, yure pig is getting out."

Mister Brily he lurked, and then he sed:

"That's so, Gaffer; you just take that stick and rap him onto the nose for he can draw it in."

So Gaffer he took up the stick and snook up reel ali, and fetched the pig's head a reglar nose wipe, hard as ever he eude with the stick, and yule never seen sech a stonish old man. But Mister Brily he pretended like he wasn't a lookin', and Gaffer he sed:

"Mister Brily, you must excuse me, but wen I struck at that pig it dodged and cut its hed off agin the edge of the barl."

The poet Whittier writes, in defense of the religious creed of the Quakers, and in answer to a controversialist who said that their light is dim: "If the light given immediately by the Holy Spirit is dim, what must that be which comes to us through the medium of human writers in an obsolete tongue? Is the Bible more and better than the Spirit which inspired it? Shall the stream deny the fountain? The horrible child murder in Pecoset shows the danger of Bibleolatry. It is only an attempt to imitate Abraham."

BALTIMORE Every Saturday: A church warden, in taking up a collection on a certain Sunday, not very long ago, in a Western village, handed the plate to a stranger, who said, "Go on, I'm a deadhead—I've got a pass."

THE Catholics and the Baptists are more closely allied than they think—The only difference between them is that the Catholics use wax candles and the Baptists—dips.

FREE OF COST.

The most wonderful remedy of the age is now placed within the reach of all. Be he rich or be he poor, it costs nothing to give this great remedy a trial. Dr. KIRO'S CALIFORNIA GOLDEN COMPOUND, for Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Low Spirits, Loss of Appetite, Sour Stomach, Coming up of Food, Yellow Complexion, General Debility, Inactivity and Drowsiness, Liver Complaint, Jaundice and Biliousness, for which it is a certain and speedy cure. No person should be without it. It order to prove that it will do all that we claim for it you are given a trial bottle free of cost, which will convince you of its truly wonderful merits, and show you a regular one dollar size bottle will do. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.

Notice.

I will give instructions to single pupils or to classes in the following languages: German, French, Spanish, Italian and Anglo-Saxon. I will also give instruction in the Latin language to those who intend preparing to enter any college. Terms made known upon application by mail.

VINCENT N. HOSCHKE, P. O. Box 155, Decatur, Ill.

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, at lowest cash prices, the corn to be delivered at D. S. Shellabarger & Co.'s mill.

Jan. 1 -d&wtf

For the Ladies—I am daily receiving new and elegant styles in spring and summer millinery. Call and see me, old friends and new. M. FALCONER, 18 Merchant street, up stairs.

april 13 dft

The Greenest Boy

(say buy as cheap as the smartest man at Cheap Charley's). You are cordially invited to examine his stock and prices before buying elsewhere. Remember, no trouble to show goods.

26 -d&wtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.

Dec. 18 -d&wtf

If you want the best and cheapest hosiery and gloves, go to

may 10 d&wtf

LANN & SCRUGGS

## TIME TELLS!



The craze for Cheap Shoddy Clothing, which has raged so fearfully of late through the medium of clothiers looking for profits irrespective of consequences as to reputation in satisfying the trade, is dying out.

## THE TIDE HAS TURNED.

B. STINE,

## The "BOSS CLOTHIER!"

Has practically demonstrated the following facts:

Our Daily Increasing Business furnishes the evidence that we carry a Larger Stock of

## Seasonable Clothing

FURNISHING GOODS.

## HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS.

Sell more of them, a better quality, in material as well as trimmings and workmanship, and last, though not least, sell them for less money than any house in Decatur, and as low as any market in the United States.

## 100 Fine All-Wool Light Weight CASSIMERE SUITS!

At \$10 per Suit, just received, the BIGGEST BARGAIN EVER OFFERED.

## 200 Fine All-Wool Cassimere Pants, AT \$3.50.

AN ELEGANT ASSORTMENT OF

## LUSTRE AND SKELETON COATS

Comprising the Novelties of the Season. A Fine Assortment of

## WHITE VESTS.

Children's Clothing a Specialty.

SQUARE DEALING, AND NO BULL-DOZING.

Yours truly,

B. STINE, THE "BOSS CLOTHIER."

## SIMPLICITY! SUPERIORITY! SIMPLIFIED! S MAINTAINED!

Improvements September, 1878!

## NEW VICTOR

WITH SEVERAL Important Improvements.

Notwithstanding the VICTOR has long been the peer of any machine in the market—a fact supported by a host of volunteer witnesses—we now confidently claim for it greater simplicity, a wonderful reduction of friction, and altogether a Rare Combination of Desirable Qualities. For sale by Merchants and others.

Liberal Terms to the Trade.

Don't buy until you have seen the lightest running machine in the World,—the Ever Reliable "VICTOR."

VICTOR SEWING MACHINE COMPANY, MIDDLETOWN, CONN., and Nos. 199 and 201 Wabash Avenue, CHICAGO, ILL.

## J. M. STOOKEY & CO.,

Dealers in Books, Stationery, Picture Frames, &c., Decatur, Ill. June 13 -d&wtf emm

## WANTED

Active parties to act as General Agents for the sale of our specialties—Business, respectable. Goods sell rapidly. We pay a fair salary and expenses, or a liberal commission on sales. From \$100 to \$200 a month can be made by the men. Rare chance for making money. References required. Address THOMPSON MFG CO., 118 MADISON ST., CHICAGO, ILL. jundshiao

## BANKING HOUSE

## PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.

JANUARY 1, 1879

## WE HAVE

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Most Favorable Terms,

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS!

On hand at all times, which we will sell at the LOWEST MARKET RATES.

A general Banking Business transacted, but no interest paid on deposits.

## THE NEW PERFECT RETORT

## Gas Cooking Stoves!



## THESE BROIL

(in the open flame)

## Roast Your Meats, Fish, &c., TO PERFECTION.

They Bake, Broil, Stew, Fry, Toast, Heat Irons and Water for Washing.

ADVANTAGES

Do not heat up the house, nor the cook—Cheaper than coal or wood; this is guaranteed. Perfectly clean. No coal, wood or ashes to handle. Fire instantly lighted. Safe and cleaner than oil stoves. Entirely free from smell of gas or smoke.

FOR SALE AT COST

—AT THE OFFICE OF—

Warren & Durfee,

And at the Superintendent's Office at the Gas Works.

June 26 -d&wtf

## "Cheap Charley,"

ONE PRICE ONLY!

NO MISREPRESENTATION!



## THE "POOR MAN'S FRIEND."

In accordance with the rule established for all our Branches, we begin every year with the 1st of July

## THE CLEARING OUT SALE

—OF OUR—

## Summer Stock

to make room for New Winter Stock now in course of being manufactured at our Factory 214 North Clark street, Chicago. To those who want to buy

## CLOTHING!

Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes,

Trunks and Furnishing Goods Cheap,

## THIS OFFERS A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY.

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Cor. Main and Water Sts., Decatur, Ill. Factory: 214 N. Clark St., Chicago. Branches all over the West! July 3 -d&wtf

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CREAM BAKING POWDER.

SPECIAL FLAVORING EXTRACTS.

Eminent Chemists and Physicians certify that these goods are free from adulteration, richer, more effective, produce better results than any others, and that they use them in their own families.

DR. PRICE'S UNIQUE PERFUMES are the Gems of all Odors. TOOTH PASTE. An agreeable, healthful Liquid Dentifrice. LEMON SUGAR. A substitute for Lemons. EXTRACT JAMAICA GINGER. From the pure root.

STEELE & PRICE'S LUPULIN YEAST CEMS. The Best Dry Hop Yeast in the World.

STEELE & PRICE, Manfrs., Chicago, St. Louis & Cincinnati.

## PLUMBING!

Gas and Steam Fitting, And Repairing of



## Engines & Machinery

OF ALL KINDS

Having recently added some of the best and most improved machinery to our shop, we claim to have the best facilities for doing work in our line in Central Illinois. Call and get estimates before going elsewhere.

ALL WORK WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

## H. MUELLER & CO.,

Cor. E. Main and State Sts., Decatur, Illinois.

July 3, 1879 -dly

## GUARDIAN'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss. Macon County, In the County Court, August Term, A. D. 1879.

TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED: TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned, guardian of the estate of James B. Burrows, a minor, will apply by petition to the County Court of said county at the next term thereof, to be held in said county on the 1st Monday in August next at the Court House in Decatur, for an order to sell the real estate belonging to said minor, when and where all persons interested may appear and show cause, if any they have, why such application should not be granted.

LOWELL BURROWS, Guardian Dated Decatur, July 22, 1879 -dly

## TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS James B. Ash and Mary M. Ash, of Macon county, Illinois, did, by their deed of trust dated February 27th, A. D. 1870, and recorded in the recorder's office of said county, in book 26, at page 378, convey to the undersigned trustee the following described premises situate in said county, to-wit: Lot number two of the northeast quarter of the southeast corner of section five, in township number sixteen north, range two east of the third principal meridian, to secure the payment of one promissory note of said James B. Ash of even date with said deed of trust for the sum of \$1,473.77, payable to Carrington & Co. on or before the 15th day of November, A. D. 1878, with ten per cent. per annum.

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust, that upon default in payment of said note, or any part thereof when due, it shall be lawful for said trustee, upon application of the legal holder of said note, to proceed and sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust, and in the manner and for the purposes therein set forth;

And whereas, said note is now long past due, and part thereof is still unpaid; and the legal holder thereof has made application to the undersigned trustee to proceed and sell said premises under the provisions of said deed of trust, to make for the said note the sum of \$1,255.20, which it is claimed will be due on said note on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1879.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned trustee will, on

MONDAY, AUGUST 11th, 1879,

at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, sell the above described premises and all the right, title, interest, dower and equity of redemption of said James B. Ash and Mary M. Ash their heirs and assigns therein at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in accordance with the provisions of said trust deed, and by virtue of the power therein granted.

KILBURN H. ROBY, Trustee. July 10, 1879 -dtd

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of ARTHUR J. GALLAGHER, Dec'd.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Arthur J. Gallagher, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon County, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of September, A. D. 1879, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., July 28th, A. D. 1879.

RACHAEL K. GALLAGHER, Executrix.

MEN



THE election in Maine, according to all accounts, promises to be a very close one. The Democrats and Greenbackers have combined against the Republicans, with a view of repeating the performance of last year.

A STATE convention of Indiana colored men is in session at Terre Haute, to devise ways and means for caring for the Southern exodus, a portion of which it is proposed to invite to that State. —Chicago Journal.

Now let the Decatur Review and other Democratic papers howl afresh

REPORTS from Memphis to-day indicate that the fever is gradually extending to all portions of the city. The sensible plan of depopulating the city, if it had been carried out, would have been effectually stamped out the fever, by giving it no material to work upon. Those who choose to remain within the deadly circle of the fever's domain, when they might as well get away to a place of comparative safety, are certainly not entitled to any very great amount of sympathy, and the world is rapidly coming to view the matter in that light. It is cheaper to move and feed healthy people than to nurse the sick and bury the dead.

THE Decatur REPUBLICAN insists that the city council of that city shall pass an ordinance declaring hog pens a nuisance. That would be a sensible move. A thickly settled hog pen will breed enough pestilence to make a whole city sick, and there is but one way to overcome the nuisance, and that is to abolish them entirely. A hog cannot be transformed into a clean housekeeper. —Bloomington Leader.

NOTES BY THE WAY

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Aug. 6, 79. REIDERS REPUBLICAN. Well, here I am, comfortably situated in the Spencer House, of Indianapolis, with an accommodating landlord, gentlemanly clerks, polite stewards and attentive and smiling waiters with plenty of the good things to satisfy the inner man, and a good bed upon which to rest when the toils of the day are over, enough to make one feel contented and happy—and if you, Messrs. Editors, are any of your many readers, should visit this city of railroads they should not fail to stop with Henry Gueit, proprietor of the Spencer House, and if you do not go away feeling happy, charge the bill up to me to be collected on sight.

Well, we left Decatur to-day on the 11:30 a. m. train of the Wabash, and arriving at Danville at 2:20 where we were switched off in a through car upon the I. B. & W., arriving here at 5:40 p. m. We found that the good and bounteous rain that had fallen on you in Macon county had also been gracious to the good people and thirsty land along the entire line of the road, for it had come in copious showers, causing the vegetable kingdom, from the smallest blade of grass that modestly hides itself beneath some ranker growth to the proud and stately oak that lifts its head above the rest of the forest and bids defiance to the storm, to put on its prettiest dress, and standing erect seem, to join in one common and grand anthem to Him who sendeth the gentle and plentiful rain, and man with his corner voice join in the chorus, and all nature is full of song and praise to Him who maketh the cloud and sendeth the rain and giveth us rich fields and golden harvests.

The crops from Decatur to this place are all that the heart of man could desire. The wheat, oats and hay have given an abundant yield and have been gathered and garnered into barns, and now the large and green bladed corn with its heavy and hanging ears betoken an immense ingathering of that crop in its season.

Thus, with our barns and granaries full, and the incoming crop so full of promise and a proper love to Him who is the giver of every good and perfect gift and the bestower of all the good things of earth, we should be always cheerful and happy, and not be the grumbling, fault finding and long faced mortals, we often are.

Respectfully, U. I. W.

The Illinois Game Law

The law recently passed by the Illinois legislature for the protection of game, etc., provides: That woodcock can be killed from July 4 to January 1, partridge chickens and pinated grouse from the 15th day of August to the 1st day of December; quail or ruffed grouse from the 1st day of October to the 1st day of January; wild geese, duck, brant, or other water fowl from the 15th day of August to the 1st day of May; wild duck, doe or fawn and wild turkey from the 1st day of September to the 15th day of January, also, that it shall be unlawful to shoot, kill or destroy any wild geese, duck, brant, or other water-fowl during the night time at any season of the year.

It furthermore provides that no person shall at any time trap, snare or net any wild turkey, prairie chicken, quail, grouse or pheasant—fixing a penalty of not less than \$5, nor more than \$25, and cost of suit, and shall stand committed to the county jail until such fine is paid.

CALIFORNIA POLITICS.

The Democratic Candidate for Governor a Huge Land-Scout.

From the San Francisco Bulletin.

The Chronicle is not pleased with the assertion that Dr. Glenn's Colusa farm is little better than a desert in all essential respects. The American idea of a tract of land embracing 60,000 acres, more or less, is a cluster of houses at a distance of six or eight miles, with farm houses all over the country, occupied by men who own and till the soil, with their wives and children. At convenient location in the school-house, and in villages are churches, stores, banks, post-offices, lecture-rooms, and other evidences of civilization. Every man and woman is the equal of every other man or woman, not in mental acquirements or business capacity, but equal before the law and in all social gatherings. The Colusa farm is large enough to be divided into, we will say, six such settlements, each with a village and township population of five thousand or six thousand. Each of the six townships could contain one hundred farms of one hundred acres each, which would give employment to a family of six persons each. We would thus have all over this large tract attractive homes, a varied agriculture, churches, schools, lecture halls and places of amusement. What does Dr. Glenn give us as the result of his system of agriculture? A vast wheat field, where human beings are seen twice a year—in seed time and harvest. For miles this spectacle presents itself, without the break of a house, a garden, or even an orchard. The Chinamen who put in the seed and harvest the crop have no interest in the soil. They come and go, working a few days or a few weeks, as the case may be, taking their wages and departure.

No sincere and earnest opponent of Chinese immigration is likely to vote for a man who in his practice and interest represents the pro-Chinese element in this State. The advocates of Chinese immigration can almost be counted on one's fingers, and they are to a man large land owners, who find a little preposterous profit in Chinese cheap labor. With this class the people at large—whether day-laborers, mechanics or business men—have no sympathy. There are no homes in this vast tract of Dr. Glenn's in the American sense of the word, though doubtless some of the employees continue with the proprietor from year to year. Now, we need not asperse Dr. Glenn's character as a man or as an employer, or impugn his motives, to find reasons to condemn the system he represents. Some of the old slave-holders were the most honorable and high-minded men in the country, but the civilization of the age condemns the system of labor they upheld, and condemns them as its representatives. In the same spirit we condemn Dr. Glenn's system of cultivating land in immense tracts, with the aid of a class of population which takes only a raiding interest in the soil. It is impossible to build up a prosperous state on such a land and labor system. The tract, however prolific in wheat, is a comparative desert, in view of what it might be if divided among from 3,000 to 6,000 men. Of course, Dr. Glenn's legal title to his land is fully recognized. No one proposes to deprive him of an acre by process of law or by legislative enactment; but it is in the province of law, by enforcing equal taxation and discouraging Chinese immigration, to make this destructive system of farming unprofitable, and thus lead, by perfectly legitimate methods, to the division of land among small farmers.

Lost in the Labyrinth.

Memphis (Tenn.) Avalanche (Ind.). No political party which embosoms the old State-sovereignty doctrine on its banners can live. It can have practically no following in the North, and even the South has outgrown it. The active Southern politicians of twenty-five years ago cannot be expected to outlive the dogma to whose practical assertion the blood shed in the late war can be definitely traced; but it is gratifying to reflect that, as they retire from active political life, their places are filled with men who do not turn their faces to the past and grope in the shadows. If the antislavery men seek to galvanize the effete State-sovereignty dogma into an appearance of life by laboring in the interest of the Stalwart Republicans, their motives would be clearly understood. But never were men more sincere. They are simply lost in the labyrinths of Bourbon stupidity.

Ought to be Happy Now.

Indianapolis Journal (Rep.).

Those financial idiots who made themselves miserable for several years because Government bonds were not paid in greenbacks, ought to be happy now. Under redemption the bonds are paid in greenbacks. Of \$537,676,556 called bonds redeemed since Jan. 1, 1879, every dollar has been paid in paper, which, thanks to the Republican policy, is now as good as gold.

A Disinterested Patriot

New York Tribune (Rep.).

The Hon. Hendrick B. Wright, of Pennsylvania, the untanned son of toil who got a \$5,000 appropriation to enable him to get into the rural districts and sympathize with the poor laboring man, is believed to be in receipt of a \$30,000 fee from one coal company. Thus are the tolling millions cared for—now and then.

The Comfort Patent Corset—Bor-

tree's Adjustable, Fay's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at Jan. 22-d&wt Linn & Scruggs.

TELEGRAPHIC

FEVER NEWS.

THE DISEASE GROWING WORSE AT MEMPHIS.

Suicide and Crime

MEMPHIS, Aug. 7.—Eleven new cases were reported to the Board of Health this morning—seven colored.

Two deaths have occurred since last night.

The weather is sultry. Heavy storms prevailed last night to the north of Memphis. A light shower fell in the city near daylight.

9 p. m.—Twenty-nine cases in all, including the five mentioned in these dispatches last night, were reported to the Board of Health for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 p. m., nineteen of these are colored.

Among the whites reported this afternoon are R. E. Webb, Lizzie Gatchell and Lillie Todd.

Three additional deaths have occurred—Kate Holly, Fred. Hollander, Jesse Heard, colored.

This is a marked increase in new cases which plainly indicates that the fever is rapidly spreading. The Howard Association to-day assigned 23 additional nurses to duty. Their daily expenses now aggregate nearly \$500.

Kid. Moon's condition to-night is more favorable than last evening. R. K. Webb is in a critical condition.

Mrs. Plago and her remaining two children were prostrated this afternoon. Their cases will be reported to-morrow. The entire family of mother and four children are down with the disease.

Commencing to-morrow semi-weekly mail will be received and sent to Grenada, Miss. by the Mississippi rail road.

It rained heavily this afternoon. An other storm from the south is threatened. The committee of safety sent circular letters to all Memphis in other cities asking their assistance towards supporting the poor now in the camps.

The Howards will organize a medical corps under a medical director. This will be expensive, and it is probable that the Howards will have to appeal to the humanitarian for aid.

The more gloomy the outlook the more determined are becoming the men who are fighting the plague. It is sublime heroism without reward.

QUINCY, ILL., Aug. 7.—One of the four boilers of the Newcomb paper mill, on Front street, exploded this morning, demolishing the stone boiler and engine house, scattering the boilers, and creating a sad havoc generally. The loss to Mr. Newcomb will be about \$10,000. Strange to tell no person was killed. A fireman named Harris was seriously wounded. Two carpenters who were scaling a roof near by were knocked off and badly hurt. The cause of the explosion is a mystery. The firemen claim that the gauge showed sufficient water.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—Luke McDermott,

for twenty-five years employed in the packing department of Field & Leiter's store, was found dead in his room this morning, having committed suicide by hanging from the bed post. Some time ago McDermott lost a son by a railway accident, and it is stated, has since become despondent and somewhat dissipated. He doubtless committed the rash act while in a fit of mental aberration. He was comfortably off, and has an interesting family of five children.

DES MOINES, Aug. 7.—John R.

Crane, the preacher, politician and doctor who was Chairman of the Greenback County Convention here, last week, was notified on Saturday, by a committee of citizens of Camp township, to leave the county immediately. He left that night. Indecent liberties taken with his patients, young women, was the cause.

Since the first introduction of Dr. F.

Wilhoft's Anti-Purific or Fever and Ague Tonic, it has steadily gained in popularity with the people, but since its proprietors, Wheelock, Finley & Co., gave its composition to the world, so that everybody can know what it is, the sale of it has doubled itself. It contains no dangerous drug, and yet it is the greatest specific against malarial diseases, such as Chills and Fever, and Dumb Chills. For sale by all druggists.

July 31-d&wt

We Guarantee

Price, color and quality of all the goods we sell, but from this date will take no goods back because the purchaser makes a mistake, as goods are always more or less damaged, and remnants always on tail losses that cannot be borne on account of the very small profits.

July 19-d&wt Linn & Scruggs

General Success.

None will wonder at the unparalleled success of our great clearing sale when they call and learn our present low prices. It may seem incredible, yet it is a fact that all summer goods have been still further reduced, making the present the grandest opportunity ever offered for securing desirable goods under their value. Are invited to Lambert & Co's Popular New York Store. [5 d&wt]

One hundred doz. ladies and children's

hose, at 5 cents a pair, just received by

mid&wt Linn & Scruggs

Mrs. Demore's Reliable Patterns;

the instructive "What to Wear," 15 cts.

and Portfolios, 15 cents, just received by

Linn & Scruggs [mar15d&wt]

SUMMERING IN COLORADO.

Greater Pleasure Seekers at Manitou Springs—Plenty of Healthful Exercise and Charming Scenery to View.

The following letter will be of special interest to our readers, as it comes from parties from this city now in Colorado, seeing the sights and enjoying delightful weather day after day.

MANITOU SPRINGS, Aug. 3, 1879.

Messrs. EDITORS.—Thinking some of our friends would like to hear from us in regard to the climate and how we are enjoying the season, I will write a few lines. We left home on the 8th of July, found it very warm traveling through Missouri; arrived at Kansas City at 12 o'clock; staid at the Coast's House till 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, when on going to the depot, met the whole party of excursionists from Vandalia, (which we expected to join in St. Louis, but was prevented by the accident to the train east of Decatur.) Had rather a tedious ride over the plains, and changed cars at Pueblo, arrived at Colorado Springs Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, staid all night, came over to Manitou the next day, and found the air cool and refreshing, and but very little warm weather since we have been here. The nights are so cool that we sleep with double blankets over us. It is astonishing how many people visit this place as a summer resort. It is a second Saratoga. We have a shower nearly every afternoon, but it is dry enough to ride in an hour after. We have been to Cheyenne Canon, with its majestic rock mountains, crossing a clear branch at least twenty times in our ascent to the falls, with walls on either side from ten to six hundred feet high.

Then we visited the Garden of the Gods, which is a scene worth many miles traveling to see. But one thing we noticed, the walls are crumbling very much, but it will take at least a century to destroy the magnificent views which this little slope of two miles or less affords.

Then a party of nine ladies and gentlemen, (myself one of the number), visited Pike's Peak. We left the hotel at 3:30 a. m., and the ride or trail for six miles over a narrow path, and so steep that if one should fall would go hundreds of feet over rocks into a rocky stream of water, is awfully grand. Step by step, we rise and behold the splendid evergreens, from sixty to a hundred feet high, and as we rise above them to the left it looks like one immense forest of pines several hundred feet high. Then the clear water dashing over the boulders, from thirty to sixty feet and more, makes a perfect foaming cataract beautiful to see.

Six miles, and we stop at the half way or Lake House. Here is a pretty little lake, fully 90 feet wide by 100 long, and on one can tell where the water comes from, no supply is seen, and no outlet, and all the way beautiful wild flowers!

One mile higher, and on looking back we behold a forest completely destroyed by a tornado, the logs lying in perfect confusion, bleached white, as if they had been lying so for years, and yet not at all decayed. When we rose above the timber line a few birds were seen, but could only fly a few feet, and the little flowers, not larger than a grain of corn, all colors, were perfectly flat like the sun-dried kind of moss.

The last two miles was over steep and slippery stones—so bad that the horses were obliged to stop every few yards and rest. Some of the gentlemen tried to walk, but could only go a few feet, when they were obliged to mount the horses again. The top is perfectly barren, with only little grass, chipmunks, and the station house, and the atmosphere affected the most of us just like a galvanic battery. Every muscle in the body felt the shock so that we came down pretty quick, and all felt perfectly free from the bad effects in a very short time after leaving the top.

Arrived at home about eight o'clock in the evening and had good bye to Pike's Peak. It is a pretty hard ride 25 miles on horseback, but I never shall regret having seen one of the grandest sights in America.

Mrs. Fenton and Miss Fannie Shellabarger both went up and stood the trip splendidly, and were highly pleased. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Race and Mrs. Fenton, with Miss Nellie and Fannie Shellabarger, have all gone to Denver. We intend remaining here a week or two.

With the hope that none of you will be "sunstruck" this summer, (as we have been informed it is so hot in Decatur,) I will close.

Mrs. Jas. Fawcett

1,000 Feed Baskets, for less than half

price, at Abel & Locke's carpet, wall-

paper and curtain house, Decatur

July 10—3mo

TRUE ECONOMY.

Here we have for our biscuits, cakes, etc., Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, which chemists and physicians have decided to be pure and healthful, and yet thousands of pounds of adulterated baking powders are used annually, simply because they are cheaper. Consider the health first—this is true economy.

THE DELICATE MEMBRANE which en-

velopes the lungs, and lines the air passages, is exceedingly sensitive, and a slight irritation of it increases and spreads very rapidly. Remembering this, use, if you are attacked by a cough or a cold, that incomparable pulmonary and preventive of consumption, Dr. HALL'S BALSA FOR THE LUNGS, which invariably gives a complete cure in all cases where the breathing organs are affected. Use it in time and prevent serious bronchitis. Sold by S. M. Irwin, the Live Drug

gist. [June 19-d&wt]

Young Men can find the largest variety

of fine shoes in the city at Barber & B-

aker's. They make a specialty of men's

fine shoes. [June 19-d&wt]

Query.—Why will you smoke a poor

5 cent cigar when you can get "Kieper's

Queen," warranted 15 cents fine, for the

same money? [April 11-dif]

JEFF. DAVIS.

His Friends Swear he Shall go to the Senate from Mississippi.

A St. Louis special of August 7,

says:

Your correspondent has just seen a Mississippi member of Congress, who, with a party of friends from Vicksburg, is stopping at the Planters. After a discussion of the danger from yellow fever, of the negro exodus, and of the crops, the conversation drifted into politics in general, and finally gathered about the next United States Senator to succeed Bruce.

"Is the coming man known?" asked your correspondent.

"Known? Of course he is," answered the member of Congress. "He is the best known man in the world, next to Grant. Jeff Davis is the man. He'll go to the Senate as sure as the sun rises and sets, if he is alive. I tell you, his selection will not be a political matter simply for the action of the Legislature. The whole State demands it—all the men, women and children want to see Mr. Davis in the United States Senate, and he is going to be sent there, mark that!"

Four or five friends of the Congress- man chimed in with, "Your be right, there."

To the objection that Mr. Davis was not a citizen, the reply was made that his becoming so was only a question of time, a few months; that the South would be stronger in Congress than ever before, and that its members would restore to Mr. Davis the rights of which he had been exceptionally deprived. Then the State of Mississippi, as with one voice, will demand his election as Senator.

"We are in dead earnest in this matter," said the Congressman. "You may think this nothing but talk. You'll find it's business, you Northerners. We've the power to do this, and we're going to do it, sure."

"Yes! And if you ain't careful we'll make Jeff President," said another gentleman.

The conversation showed that these people, whose sentiments may be regarded as typical for the State, were serious in their belief that Mr. Davis would be restored to citizenship, and that he would be made a United States Senator immediately succeeding such restoration.

LADIES' night dresses, chemises, drawers and skirts, at very low prices. June 27-d&wt Linn & Scruggs.

Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, on the 23rd day of August, 1879, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, Macon county, State of Illinois, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m., in said public, ended the following described real estate, to-wit: Part of lot one in the northeast quarter of section 23, township 16, range 2 east of the 3rd principal meridian, bearing one and one-half miles north of the southwest corner of lot one, thence north 2 1/2 miles and 2 1/2 miles, thence east 4 chains and 4 1/2 links, thence south 4 chains and 4 1/2 links, thence west 4 chains and 2 1/2 links to the place of beginning, situated in said county and state. The terms of sale are cash and two months. The sale for half the purchase money, drawing eight per cent. per annum from date, to be secured by mortgage on the premises.

Administrator of Charles D. Witts, deceased. July 3-d&wt

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, [as

Macon County,

NOTICE is hereby given that Aaron Bricker and Isaac N. Bricker, of said county, on the 8th day of August, A. D. 1879, filed their bill in chancery in the circuit court of said county against William H. Bricker and Martin J. Bricker, and that summons has been duly issued in said cause returnable in the said court, to be held in the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1879, when and where the said defendants are required to make defense in said cause, or be taken for confessed, and to answer said bill. Wm. E. NELSON, Solicitor for Compl'ts. Aug 7-d&wt

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS, Ira Fridley, of the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, did, on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust convey to Jasper J. Peddick and Lowber Barrows, trustees, the southwest quarter of section 23, township 16, range 2 east of the 3rd principal meridian, which trust deed was made to secure the payment of one hundred and thirty dollars, and that said debt has been duly paid, and that said premises have been duly sold to the order of A. A. P. Grisold in the sum of \$2,000, with interest from date at ten per cent. per annum, and five dollars to cover costs and expenses of remitting the principal sum when paid, and was duly recorded in the records of said county, and that the county, in book 51 of trust deeds, at page 100; and whereas, it is provided in said deed that if default be made in payment of the principal for said trustees, on application of the legal holder of said note, to proceed and sell the premises at the place, on the terms, and after giving the notice in said trust deed prescribed, and apply the proceeds as therein directed; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of both principal and interest, and there will be due to the legal holder thereof the principal sum of \$2,000, with interest from date at ten per cent. per annum, and five dollars to cover costs and expenses of remitting the principal sum when paid, and was duly recorded in the records of said county, and that the county, in book 51 of trust deeds, at page 100; 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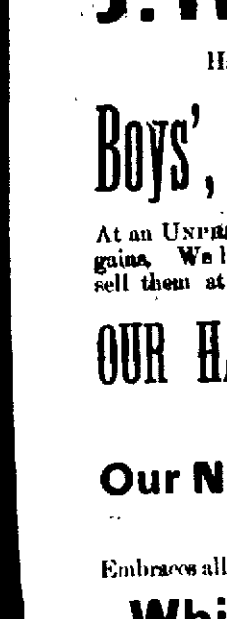






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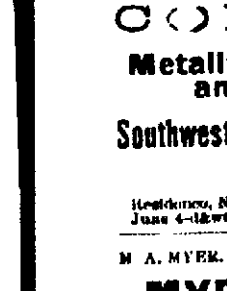
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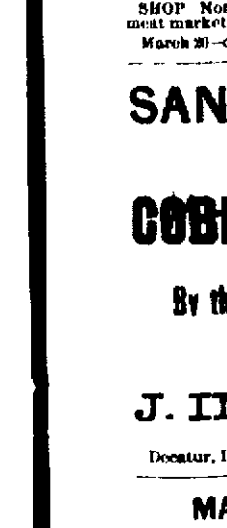
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